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## BANKS.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$1,000,000.  
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £500,000.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors,  
D. GILLIES, Esq., CHOW TUNG SHANG,  
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KWAN HOI CHUEN, Esq.

Chief Manager,  
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

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& Co.

G. B. STUART WORTHY, Esq., Q.O., M.P.  
for HILLARD.

Geo. Munro, Manager,  
Bankers.

PARK'S BANKING CO. AND THE ALLIANCE  
BANK (LTD.)

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

Yokohama—D. Fraser, Manager.

Shanghai—C. J. GALLOWAY, Manager.

Amoy—J. ANDERSON, Manager.

Current Accounts opened. Money received on Deposit. Drafts on Bills purchased and collected. Advances made on securities or goods in natural growths. Union Bank Agency business undertaken.

Interest for 12 months 5%.  
do. 6 do. 4.5%  
do. 3 do. 3.5%  
Current Accounts 2%.

For rates of interest for other periods apply to the Manager.

HONGKONG, September 26, 1892. 22

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$10,000,000.  
RESERVE FUND, \$3,500,000.  
EMERGENCY LIABILITIES OF  
PROVISIONS, \$10,000,000.

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Manager.

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BANKING CO. LTD.

HONGKONG—Interest Allowed.

On Current Account at the daily rate of 2  
per cent. per annum on the daily balance  
up to \$200,000.

On Fixed Deposits—  
For 6 months 3½ per cent. per annum.  
" 12 " 4 " up to  
" 12 " 4 " on sum  
in excess of \$200,000.

F. DE BOVIS,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, September 26, 1892. 1435

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed in conjunction with their Hotel in Queen's Road, thus enabling them to offer special inducements to Visitors and Residents.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
F. DE BOVIS,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1892. 1518

SHANGHAI RACES.

THE MESSENGERIES MARITIMES CHINE  
AND  
THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL  
STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

WILL issue RETURN TICKETS to  
SHANGHAI by the STEAMERS  
leaving on or about the 10th, 19th and  
24th instant, available for return by  
either Line, and allowing of One Month's  
stay at Shanghai.

First—First Saloon, \$60.  
Second do. \$40.

Hongkong, October 6, 1892. 1768

## Intimations.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,  
LIMITED.

1891 ACCOUNT.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Final DIVIDEND of \$3 per Share  
has this Day been declared.

WARRANTS may be had on application  
at the above Office, on and after MON-  
DAY, the 24th instant.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,  
General Agents,  
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, October 22, 1892. 1851

## NOTICE.

ALL Persons having CLAIMS against  
the Estate of the late Lieutenant G.

G. ROYLE, Royal Artillery, are requested

to forward them to the Undersigned before  
the 22nd November, 1892, after which date  
No Claims will be received.

S. G. N. SELFE,  
Major, R.A.,  
President, Committee of Adjustment.

22nd October, 1892. 1847

## NOTICE.

ALL Persons having CLAIMS against  
the late Captain R. H. DAWSON, of the

Hongkong Regiment, are requested to com-

municate by Letter with the Undersigned

as soon as practicable. No Claims will be

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H. FAITHFULL, Major,  
The Hongkong Regiment,  
President, Committee of Adjustment.

Kowloon, October 22, 1892. 1848

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# THE CHINA MAIL.

No. 6975. OCTOBER 24, 1892.



Mails.

STEAM FOR  
SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,  
ADEN, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID,  
MALTA, GIBRALTAR, MARSINELLES,  
BRINDISI,  
PLYMOUTH AND LONDON;  
ALSO,  
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA  
AND AUSTRALIA.  
M.B.—Cargo can be taken on board *Boat* of  
Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN  
GULF PORTS, MARSEILLE,  
HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND  
BOSTON.

SPECIES ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship  
BRINDISI, Captain D. ROUSE, with  
Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched  
from this for BOMBAY, on THURSDAY,  
27th October, at Noon, (connecting with  
the RIMALYA at BOMAI, which vessel  
takes on her cargo for LONDON, via  
SUEZ CANAL, leaving that port on the  
10th NOVEMBER, 1892.)

Cargo will be received on board until 4  
p.m. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office  
until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing.

Silk and Valuables for the General Cargo  
will be transhipped at Colombo; General Cargo  
for London will be despatched via Bombay  
by the C. P. & M. Co. Army Pay Department,  
until 11 a.m. TO-MORROW, the 27th instant.

No further Particulars regarding  
FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the  
PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-  
TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are  
required to be declared prior to shipment.

Shippers are particularly requested to  
note the terms and conditions of the Com-  
pany's Black Bills of Lading.

Passengers desirous of insuring their bag-  
gage can do so on application at the Com-  
pany's Office.

This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers  
for MARSINELLES.

A. M. MARSHALL,  
for Superintendent.  
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, October 19, 1892. 1823

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.'s  
ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE,  
CHINA AND JAPAN.

PROPOSED SAILING FROM HONGKONG, 1892.  
(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

Empress of China | Wednesday | Nov. 2.  
Empress of India | Wednesday | Nov. 30.  
Empress of Japan | Wednesday | Dec. 26.

THE R. M. S. EMPRESS OF CHINA,  
Capt. R. ARCHIBALD, Commander,  
sailing at Noon on WEDNESDAY, the  
2nd November, with Her Majesty's  
Mail, will proceed to VICTORIA, via  
SHANGHAI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and  
YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF PASSAGE.  
(In Mexican Dollars).  
FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS.

TO	One Way Fare.	Prepaid Return
	4	12
Mon.	Mo.	Mo.
Vancouver, Victoria, Es- quimalt, New West- minster, B.C. ....	225	338
Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma, Wash. ....	225	304
Portland, Ore., San Fran- cisco, ....	255	388
Banff, Calgary, Alba ....	255	487
Winnipeg, Man. ....	270	415
Minneapolis, St. Paul, Du- luth, Minn. ....	285	428
Chicago, Ill., Kansas City, St. Louis, Mo. ....	295	443
Milwaukee, Wis. ....	295	517
Detroit, Mich., Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, O. ....	305	468
Hamilton, London, Toron- to, Ont. ....	310	543
Buffalo, Niagara Falls, N.Y. ....	310	534
Kingston, Ottawa, Ont., Montreal, Quebec, Que. ....	310	534
New York, Albany, Troy, Rochester, N.Y. ....	310	543
Baltimore, Md., Philadel- phia, Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	310	543
Washington, D.C., Boston, Mass., Portland, Me. ....	325	575
Liverpool, and London via Liverpool, and London via Paris via Liverpool and Paris via Paris, ....	345	650
Hamburg, via Liverpool ....	335	650
Hamburg, via Paris ....	345	650
Hamburg, via Hamburg ....	335	650

Ind class steamer and 1st class on rail,  
and 2nd class steamer and rail, also Steer-  
age, Fares and Rates to other places, quoted  
on application.

The Steamer call at Victoria to land and  
embark Passengers.

Return Tickets.—Time limit for prepaid  
return ticket is reckoned from date of issue  
to date of re-embarking at Vancouver.

Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-  
land, France, and Germany by all trans-  
port lines of steamship companies.

Special rates (first class only) are granted  
to Missionaries, members of the Naval,  
Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to  
European officials in service of China or  
Japan, and to Government officials.

Cargo.—Through Bills of Lading issued  
to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to  
Canadian and United States Points.

CONSULAR INVOICES OF GOODS for United  
States Points should be in quadruplicate;  
and one copy must be sent forward by the  
steamer to the care of D. E. Brown, Asst.  
General Freight and Passenger Agent,  
Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Van-  
couver, B.C.

PAPERS must be sent to the Company's  
office with address marked in full by 5 p.m.  
on the day previous to sailing.

For further information as to Passage  
and Freight, apply to

E. HOLLOWAY,  
General Agent,  
OFFICES: Fader's Street.  
Hongkong, October 8, 1892. 1765

WASHING BOOKS.  
(In English and Chinese.)

WASHING BOOKS for the use of  
Ladies and Gentlemen, can now  
be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

China Mail Office.

## Entertainments.

### NOTICE.

**T**AMAKICHI TROUPE  
of Tokyo, Japan, will give their  
GRAND PERFORMANCE  
OF  
JAPANESE ACROBATIC FEATS  
at the EXALMATION GROUNDS, WEST POINT,  
(Front of Sailor's Home).  
This Troupe is composed of 12 of the Best  
and Well-known ACROBATS who had visited  
Hongkong, Saigon, Singapore, Java,  
and India four years ago with great  
success.

TO-NIGHT, the 24th Instant.

Prices of Admission:  
Boxes (4 seats in each box) .... \$6.00  
First Class ..... 1.00  
Second do. .... 0.50  
Third do. .... 0.20  
Doors open at ..... 8 o'clock p.m.  
Commence at ..... do.

CHANGE OF PROGRAMME  
EVERY NIGHT.  
Y. YOKOYE, Agent.  
Hongkong, October 24, 1892. 1844

## To-day's Advertisements.

### NOTICE.

**T**HE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s  
Steamship  
Surat,  
Captain R. J. SLEEMAN,  
will leave for the above place to MOR-  
ROW, the 26th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
H. H. JOSEPH,  
Superintendent.  
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, and General—P. & O. S. N. Co.  
Hongkong, October 24, 1892. 1825

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.  
The Co.'s Steamship  
Zafiro, Captain H. A. HARRIS, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 26th Inst., at  
Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAPRAK & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, October 24, 1892. 1837

## To-day's Advertisements.

### GOVERNMENT BILLS.

TENDERS for SPECIE, Mexican Dol-  
lars, current in this Colony, and weighing  
7.17, in Exchange for STERLING  
BILLS, drawn at 10 days sight, on the  
Lords Commissioners of HER MAJESTY'S  
TREASURY, LONDON, will be RECEIVED  
by the CHIEF PAYMASTER, Army Pay  
Department, until 11 a.m. TO-MORROW, the  
27th instant.

This Tenders has superior Accommodation  
for Passengers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
SHIWEAN & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, October 24, 1892. 1856

## To-day's Advertisements.

### GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

THE following Particulars of SALE of  
GROWN LAND by Public Auction, to  
be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the  
31st day of October, 1892, at 4 p.m., are  
published for general information.

By Command,

G. T. M. O'BRIEN,  
Colonial Secretary.  
COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
Hongkong, 15th October, 1892. 1854

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction  
Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the  
31st day of October, 1892, at 4 p.m., by  
Order of the Secretary of State, Governor  
of One Lot of Crown Land, in the  
Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999  
years.

Particulars of the Lot.

REGISTRY No. Locality.

Reg. No. Locality.



## Mails.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILROAD COMPANIES.  
PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1892.  
(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

Wednesday, Thursday November 3.  
Tuesday, Thursday December 1.  
A STEAMER, Thursday December 25.  
Wednesday, Thursday January 26.  
Tuesday, Thursday February 21.  
A STEAMER, Thursday March 23.  
AND THEREAFTER THE PERMANENT SERVICE OF THE COMPANY'S REGULAR STEAMERS.

THE Steamship *VICTORIA*, Captain J. PANTON, R. N. R., sailing at noon, on THURSDAY the 1st November, 1892, to KOTOR, BOSPORUS, TAKOMA, and SAKA, INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA.

The original Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canada and United States Points.

General Invoice of Goods for United States should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of The General Agent Northern Pacific, Tacoma, Wash.

Parcels must be sent to our Office with address marked in full by 5 p.m., on the day previous to sailing.

For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & CO.,  
Agents,  
Hongkong, October 20, 1892. 1840

Occidental & Oriental Steamship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.  
Tuesday, November 10.  
Wednesday, November 21.  
Tuesday, December 20.

THE Steamship *BELGIC* will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 10th November, at 1 p.m., connection being made at Yokohama with steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports.

RATES OF PASSAGE, FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS.

To San Francisco, Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimalt New Westminster, Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, O.

To Liverpool and London, \$325.00 To Paris and Brussels, \$345.00 To Havre and Hamburg, \$335.00 Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

RATES OF PASSAGE TO OVERLAND CITIES, FIRST CLASS.

DESTINATION.	Stocks	No. of Shares	Value	Paid-up	Closing Quotations, Oct.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. New Issue.	80,000	3	125	all	110 % prem.
Bank of China, Japan and Straits.	90,975	4	10	1.15	93
Id.	1,250	5	1	1.50	buyers
National Bank of China, Limited.	2	10	2	6.10	34 % div.
MANUFACTURERS.					
Janion Insur. Co., Ltd.	10,000	8	250	50	8102, ex div.
Janion Insur. Co., Ltd.	24,000	8	453	25	858, sellers
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	2	50	50	Tia. 245
State Insurance Co., Ltd.	30,000	8	10	1	20
Union Insurance Society Co., Ltd.	10,000	8	250	50	883
Famazei Insurance Association, Ltd.	3,000	8	100	a.	1162, sellers
FIRE INSURANCES.					
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	8	100	20	887
Jiaozhou Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	8	25	50	8270, sellers
State Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	8	10	20	814, buyers
YER AND MARINE INSURANCES.					
Singapore Insurance Company, Ltd.	40,000	8	100	20	810, buyers
DOORS.					
China Mutual S. N. Co., Ltd.	20,000	8	100	20	810, nom.
China Mutual S. N. Co., Ltd.	12,500	8	125	all	77 % prem., sellers
STEAMBOATS.					
China and Manilla S. S. Co., Ltd.	5,000	8	all	828	
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited.	20,000	8	50	50	837, sales
Id. U. S. M. Steamship Co., Ltd.	30,000	8	2	all	828
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited.	60,000	8	5	48 % div., now	800
Sunbeam Launching Company, Limited.	3,000	8	5	48 %	800, sellers
China Mutual S. N. Co., Ltd.	20,000	8	100	20	810, nom.
Id.	10	8	8	25	825, nom.
Id.	1	10	10	23.10	
DO.	(new issue)	20,000	8	10	20
China Sugar J. M. G. Limited.	15,000	8	10	ai	\$1524, buyers
Luxon Sugar Company, Limited.	7,000	8	10	a.	374
H. K. & Co. Waik & Godown Co., Limited.	20,000	8	50	all	845, sellers
Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited.	2,600	8	100	37	8242, sellers
LAND AND BUILDING.					
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited.	50,000	8	10	50	858
Kowloon Land and Building Company.	6,000	8	5	30	87, buyers
Humphreys Estate & Finance Co., Ltd.	1,000	8	10	all	818
Wes Point Building Co., Limited.	12,500	8	50	40	827, sellers
HK. High-Low Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,200	8	all	840	sellers
Mining.					
Id.	5	all	85.85	cum. div., sales	
Id.	40	80	20.12	7	
Id.	1	81	140	nom.	
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin.	8,000	8	50	500	8100, sellers
The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	15,000	8	10	25	820, conf. nom.
New Imura Mines, Limited.	17,000	8	17/11	31.10	811.10
Id.	10	20	30	30	
Société Française des Houillères de Toulou.	8,000	8	500	37	75 % div., sellers
PLANTING, ETC.					
China-Borneo Company, Ltd. in Lit.	7,600	8	10	55	81
H. G. Brown & Co., Limited.	6,000	8	50	all	824
Horizon Etc.					
Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited.	4,000	8	50	50	844, sellers
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	6,000	8	50	ai	825, sellers
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.	50,000	8	10	ai	8161, sales
Watkin, Cruckshank & Co., Ltd.	50,000	8	5	83	800, sellers
LODGING.					
HK. and China G. Co., Limited.	5,10	8	10	all	838
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited.	30,000	8	50	all	855, buyers
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	4,000	8	20	17.50	855, sales
Hongkong Brick & Cement Co., Ltd.	30,000	8	10	all	844, sellers
MISCELLANEOUS.					
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited.	1,200	8	10	all	844, sellers
Geo. Fawcett & Co., Limited.	6,000	8	20	25	8143
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	6,000	8	50	all	835
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	3,000	8	10	all	835
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited.	6,000	8	15	all	837, sales and buyers
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	3,000	8	50	all	8100
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## Mails.

NOTICE.  
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.  
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSHALLS, LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX.

ALSO.

PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 2nd November, 1892, at Noon, the Company's S.S. *SAGITTARIUS*, Commandant HOMERY, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPEAKERS, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked a., near the Kowloon shore b., and those in the body of the

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